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SUBJ: TOGO CONDEMNS "ISRAELI AGGRESSION"

TOGO-PRESSE 11 OCTOBER CARRIES COMMUNIQUE FROM GOVERNMENT ON
SUBJECT OF PRESENT CONFLICT IN MIDDLE EAST, BRIEF SUMMARY OF
WHICH FOLLOWS: GOT IS FOLLOWING CLOSELY TRAGIC
SITUATION IN MIDDLE EAST ARISING FROM AGGRESSION BY ISRAEL
AGAINST EGYPT AND SYRIA. ON 12 SEPTEMBER GOT EXPRESSED ITS CONCERN
TO ISRAELI AMBASSADOR OVER PROLONGED OCCUPATION OF ARAB TERRI-
TORIES. FOLLOWING AN UNSATISFACTORY RESPONSE FROM ISRAELI FOREIGN
MINISTER, TOGO BROKE RELATIONS. NEW ZIONIST AGGRESSION SHOWS
HOW CORRECT GOT WAS TO BREAK RELATIONS WITH GOVERNMENT WHICH
FLOUTS INTERNATIONAL MORALS AND PRACTICES POLICY OF AGGRESSION
FROM WHICH ALL PEACE LOVING COUNTRIES MAY SUFFER. TOGOLESE
PEOPLE ASSEMBLED BEHIND THEIR PRESIDENT, CONDEMN BOMBARDMENT
OF CIVIL OBJECTIVES, PLACE FULL RESPONSIBILITY ON ISRAEL FOR
RENEWAL OF HOSTILITIES AND REAFFIRM TOTAL AND UNCONDITIONAL
SUPPORT OF COURAGEOUS AND LEGITIMATE STRUGGLE OF ARAB BROTHERS
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